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to 40 CFR 63.
Part 6-5*

Hello and Happy New Year,

All of our furnaces are "periodic". We call some furnaces "pots" and others are called "tanks", depending if the molten glass is in a crucible or merely melts within the furnace wall structure. We use a "day melt" cycle where the batch is added to the furnace, melted, and cast. The furnace is then made ready for the next cycle to begin.

A group of colored glass manufacturers worked with Susan Fairchild (the technical contact at the EPA) to submit comments on the new regulations. The authors of the document were not aware of our industry subset when they drafted the proposal -- they were very receptive to our input. The final document works for us.

Again, thank you for bringing this matter to my attention -- you were the only person in any agency in the US to notify a manufacturer of a potential impact of the EPA regulation changes. You helped all of the colored glass manufacturers.

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The final NESHAP for glass manufacturing was published in the Federal Register on 12/26/07.

It exempts pot furnaces and periodic furnaces according to section III, B.1 (Summary of Changes Since Proposal). Do you have any continuous furnaces?